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Applicant: Patrizio Vinciarelli Art Unit: 2838

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Title : ADAPTIVELY CONFIGURED VOLTAGE TRANSFORMATION MODULE

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COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

The examiner did not provide reasons for allowance in the notice of allowance, but did provide such reasons in the office action dated May 23, 2006. These comments are in response to those reasons.

The applicant recognizes that in accordance with M.P.E.P. § 1302.14, the examiner's reasons for allowance need not set forth all of the details as to why the claims are allowed. The applicant agrees that the limitations recited in the examiner's Reasons for Allowance are not taught or suggested by the art of record and that the allowed independent claims are distinguished from the cited prior art for at least the reasons stated in the Reasons for Allowance, which are sufficient for allowance of all claims. The applicant points out that the claims recite "a substantially fixed voltage transformation ratio" (emphasis added). The applicant does not concede that the stated reasons are the only grounds for patentability of the allowed claims, that the limitations excluded from the Reasons for Allowance are taught or suggested by the art of record, or that all of the limitations are necessary for patentability of the allowed claims or other claims directed to the disclosed subject matter.

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